

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Buerger, et al.) Group Art Unit: 1745
Serial No.: 09/509,232)
Filed: March 22, 2000) Examiner: Melissa Austin
For: An Electrochemical Energy Storage) Confirmation No. 9676
Means)

Commissioner For Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated August 17, 2006, please amend this application as follows and reconsider the application in light of the amendment and the subsequent remarks.